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AMEMBASSY BUENOS AIRES

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SUBJECT: BERNARD BOGDANSKI PROPOSED AS POLISH AMBASSADOR TO  
SWITZERLAND

REF 66 WARSAW A-93, 66 STATE CA-1857, 75 BERN A-271

1. A SWISS EMBASSY OFFICER HERE TOLD US ON JANUARY 27  
THAT BERNARD BOGDANSKI HAS BEEN FORMALLY PROPOSED AS  
POLISH AMBASSADOR IN BERN, A POST LONG VACANT. BOGDANSKI  
HAS BEEN DIRECTOR OF THE CADRE AND TRAINING DEPARTMENT  
OF THE MFA SINCE ABOUT MAY 1973. HE WAS AMBASSADOR TO  
ARGENTINA FROM 1970-71 AND SERVED PREVIOUSLY IN MEXICO  
CITY.

2. PERSONNEL PROBLEMS AT THE POLISH EMBASSY IN BERN  
HAVE EVIDENTLY COMPLICATED RELATIONS BETWEEN THE TWO  
COUNTRIES. THE EMBASSY THERE HAS BEEN WITHOUT AN AM-  
BASSADOR FOR EIGHTEEN MONTHS. THE POLISH CHARGE WAS  
RECENTLY RECALLED OWING TO INCIDENTS ARISING FROM HIS  
DRUNKENESS (BERN A-271). THE SWISS, WHO ARE TREATING  
THE QUESTION OF AGREEMENT VERY CAREFULLY, WOULD APPRE-  
CIATE ANY INFORMATION WE COULD PROVIDE.

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3. WARSAW'S A-63 AND STATE CA-1857 CONTAIN INFORMA-

TION ABOUT BOGDANSKI UP TO HIS APPOINTMENT TO BUENOS  
AIRES. WE ARE PASSING UNCLASSIFIED INFORMATION  
FROM THESE REPORTS TO THE SWISS HERE AND WOULD APPRECIATE  
WHATEVER ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ADDRESSEES CAN PROVIDE.  
DAVIES

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